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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Dear Sir:

Applicant(s) hereby request an extension of time to respond to the Advisory Action mailed January 6, 2004 (and Final Office Action dated September 24, 2003). This one (1) month extension will extend the due date from December 24, 2003 to January 24, 2004. An appropriate response in the form of a Request for Continued Examination is enclosed herewith.

Please charge the extension fee of \$110 to our Deposit Account No. 19-2179. Please also charge this deposit account for any additional fees required, or credit any overpayment, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.25.

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